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Application No.: 08/460,715 ) Group Art Unit: 1648  
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For: STRUCTURAL PHOSPHOPROTEIN (PP28) )  
OF HUMAN CYTOMEGALOVIRUS (HCMV), )  
THE PREPARATION AND USE THEREOF )

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**SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT**

Applicants thank the Examiner for the interview of March 25, 2003. In the interview it was requested that applicants file a supplemental response pointing to written description support from the specification for claims 19, 21, 54, 41-43, 48, 49, and 55-57 for expression vectors that encode "the entire HCMV pp28." Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please amend claims 41-43, 45-52, 55-60, and 64-72 as follows:

41. (Amended) The prokaryotic expression vector of claim 74, wherein said expression vector is a bacteriophage vector.

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